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Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant submits herewith information that the Office may wish to consider in examination of the subject application. Materials submitted for consideration are listed on the attached form PTO-SB08. The English abstract for the Japanese patents is enclosed. U.S. Patent 6,605,298 is the English equivalent of JP2002505307. U.S. Patent 6,045,809 is the English equivalent of JP10511944.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p), please charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 02-2135. An additional copy of this document is enclosed.

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